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TO AMEMBASSY CONAKRY IMMEDIATE

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E.O. 11652: GDS TAGS: PFOR, AO, US, GV

SUBJECT: GUINEAN RESPONSE TO US NOTE

REF: CONAKRY 0014 (NODIS)

1. WE CONCUR IN YOUR CHARACTERIZATION OF THEIR REPLY TO OUR DECEMBER 22 NOTE AND SEE NO BENEFIT TO A REPLY IN KIND. A MEETING WITH FOREIGN MINISTER CISSOKO BEFORE HE DEPARTS FOR THE OAU CM MEETING MIGHT PROVIDE THE OPPORTUNITY FOR A MORE BENEFICIAL DIALOGUE ON THE ANGOLAN SITUATION.

2. IF YOU ARE ABLE TO MEET WITH HIM, YOU SHOULD EMPHASIZE OUR MUTUAL DESIRE TO SEE A PEACEFUL CONCLUSION TO THE ANGOLAN PROBLEM AND EXPRESS OUR BELIEF THAT ONLY AN END TO ALL FOREIGN INTERVENTION WILL ALLOW THE ANGOLANS, WITH AFRICAN HELP, TO SETTLE THEIR DIFFERENCES. YOU SHOULD EMPHASIZE THAT WE ARE NOT AGAINST MPLA PER SE, INDEED WE HAVE MUTUALLY BENEFICIAL RELATIONS WITH MANY AFRICAN AND THIRD WORLD STATES WITH PHILOSOPHIES THAT DIFFER FROM OURS,

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SUCH AS GUINEA AND, MOST RECENTLY MOZAMBIQUE. IT IS THE

MEANS BY WHICH MPLA IS ATTEMPTING TO SEIZE POWER THAT WE  
OBJECT TO AND WE DO NOT SEE HOW IT CAN BE IN AFRICA'S  
INTEREST TO CONDONE, OR EVEN ASSIST, FOREIGN POWERS WHICH  
SEND VAST QUANTITIES OF ARMS AND THOUSANDS OF TROOPS  
TO IMPOSE A MINORITY REGIME. ASSURE HIM IT IS THE SOVIET/  
CUBAN INTERVENTION WE OBJECT TO AND SAY WE ARE WILLING TO

COOPERATE IN MOVES TO END ALL FOREIGN INTERVENTION IF THE  
OAU CALLS FOR IT AND THE SOVIETS/CUBANS ALSO AGREE TO  
COMPLY.

3. ANGOLA DID NOT REPEAT NOT ARISE IN THE MEETING BETWEEN  
ACTING SECRETARY AND THE GUINEAN PRIME MINISTER ON  
DECEMBER 30. KISSINGER

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